## CHAPTER 346

## POLITICAL PARTIES IN SPECIAL CHARTER CITIES

H. F. 492

AN ACT relating to political parties in special charter cities.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Political parties in special charter cities having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) or more shall hold a city convention within the city on the second (2nd) Friday following the primary election. The city central committee shall set the time and place of the convention and shall file the same in the office of the city clerk at least ten (10) days prior to the convention.
- 1 SEC. 2. Delegates to city conventions of their respective political 2 parties shall be elected at precinct caucuses held at eight (8) p.m. on 3 the third (3rd) Monday in August of the same year in which the city 4 general election is conducted. The precinct caucuses shall be convened 5 within the boundaries of each precinct at places designated by the city central committee. The chairman of the city central committee shall 7 file with the city clerk a certified list of places where the precinct 8 caucuses will be held not later than ten (10) days prior to the date of 9 the caucus and shall cause the time and place of said caucus to be pub-10 lished in two (2) newspapers within the city not later than ten (10) 11 days prior to the convening of the precinct caucus.
- The precinct caucus shall elect, by a majority vote of those 2 present, a chairman and secretary who shall certify to the city central committee and city clerk the names and addresses of those elected as 4 delegates to the city convention. The number of delegates from each 5 voting precinct shall be determined by a ratio adopted by the respec-6 tive political party's city central committee, and the chairman of the city central committee shall file with the city clerk a statement desig-8 nating the number of delegates for each voting precinct in the city not less than twenty-five (25) days before the date of the precinct caucuses. If the chairman of the city central committee fails to so act, 10 the county chairman shall designate the number of delegates to be 11 12 elected from each voting precinct and shall cause such information to 13 be published in two (2) newspapers within the city at least ten (10) 14 days prior to holding the precinct caucuses.
- 1 SEC. 4. The delegates shall hold office from the day following the 2 election for a period of two (2) years.
- SEC. 5. Candidates for city precinct committeemen and committeewomen, or candidates for ward alderman or ward councilman, shall cause their names to be printed on the primary ballot by filing an affidavit as provided for in section forty-three point eighteen (43.18) of the Code in the office of the city clerk at least thirty (30) days prior to the day fixed for conducting the primary election.
- SEC. 6. A male member and a female member for each political party shall be elected from each precinct to the city central committee at the primary election. They shall hold office for a period of two (2)

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- years immediately following the adjournment of the city convention, or until his or her successor is duly elected and qualified, unless sooner removed by the city central committee for failing to perform the 6 7 duties of committeemen, incompetency, or failing to support the ticket nominated by their respective party. 8
- 1 The city central committee shall commence performing 2 their duties on the day of the city convention and vacancies occurring 3 therein may be filled by the city chairman subject to confirmation of 4 the central committee. Committee members from the same precinct 5 shall not be of the same sex.
- 1 Election judges shall make returns of the election of mem-2 bers of the city central committee in the same manner as returns are 3 conducted for other officers except that the election judges shall canvass the returns as to members of the city central committee, and cer-4 5 tify the results thereof to the city clerk with the returns.
- 1 SEC. 9. After the canvass of votes and returns by the city council 2 the city clerk shall notify the members of the central committee who  $\bar{3}$ have been elected of the time and place of holding the city convention, and shall deliver a certified list of those elected to the chairman of their respective political party's central committee in the city on or 6 before the first (1st) Thursday following the primary election.
- 1 The city convention shall be composed of the delegates elected at the last preceding city precinct caucus, and the city clerk 2 shall forward a certified list of said elected delegates at least ten (10) 3 4 days prior to the city convention to the chairman of the city central 5 committee.
- The city clerk and city council shall, in municipal elec-SEC. 11. tions, perform those duties imposed upon the county auditor and county board of supervisors in county elections. The city clerk shall keep a certified list of delegates to the city convention elected at the precinct caucuses and a record of the precinct committeeman and committeewoman elected at the primary election. The city clerk shall maintain a current list of all members of the city central committee. The certified list and records shall be maintained by the city clerk for at least two (2) years subsequent to the election of the delegates and 9 precinct committeeman and shall be available for public inspection. 10
  - SEC. 12. All laws or other provisions of the Code governing political parties and the nomination of candidates in elections shall, as far as applicable, govern the political parties and nomination and election of candidates in cities acting under a special charter which has a population of fifty thousand (50,000) or more.
  - This Act shall also apply in and to any special charter 1 2 city having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more and less 3 than fifty thousand (50,000), except when such city is operating under 4 a plan of municipal government which specifically provides for a non-5 partisan primary election. However, wherever this Act requires publication in two (2) newspapers within the city, publication in one (1)

newspaper within the city shall be sufficient in such special charter cities having a poulation of twenty thousand (20,000) or more but less

than fifty thousand (50,000).

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## CHAPTER 347

## INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AMENDMENTS

H. F. 198

AN ACT to amend section\* four hundred twenty-two (422), Code 1962, as amended by chapter two hundred fifty-eight (258), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, relative to state personal net income tax and state business tax on corporations.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section four hundred twenty-two point four (422.4), Code 1962, as amended by section one (1) of chapter two hundred fifty-eight (258), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby further amended by striking the figures "1962" in line four (4) of sub-3 5 section fourteen (14) and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1964".

SEC. 2. Section four hundred twenty-two point seven (422.7), Code 1962, as amended by section two (2) of chapter two hundred fifty-eight (258), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby 1 3 4 further amended as follows:

 By striking subsections five (5), six (6) and seven (7).
By inserting after the word "as" in line three (3) the word "properly".

3. By inserting at the end thereof the following subsection:

9 "5. Add the amount by which the basis of qualified depreciable property is required to be increased for depreciation purposes under 10 11 the Internal Revenue Code Amendments Act of 1964 to the extent that such amount equals the net amount of the special deduction 12 13 allowed on the basis of the amount by which the depreciable basis of 14 such qualified property was required to be reduced for depreciation purposes under the Internal Revenue Code Amendments Act of 1962. 15 16 The 'net amount of the special deduction' shall be computed by taking the sum of the amounts by which the basis of qualified property was 17 18 required to be decreased for depreciation purposes for the years 1962 19 and 1963 and subtracting from it the sum of the amounts by which 20 the basis of such property was required to be increased, prior to 1964, for depreciation or disposition purposes under the Internal Revenue 21 22 Code Amendments Act of 1962.

SEC. 3. Section four hundred twenty-two point thirty-two (422.32), Code 1962, as amended by section three (3) of chapter two hundred fifty-eight (258), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby further amended by striking the figures "1962" in line three (3) of subsection four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1964". 6

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<sup>\*</sup>According to enrolled Act.